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PERSONAL WATERCRAFT"**

AMENDMENT A

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action directed to the above named application mailed on July 28, 2004, please amend the specification and claims of the application as discussed herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.